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THREE CHARGED WITH TULSA HI-JACKING

16 ARE HELD NOW
AT ARDMORE FOR
SHOOTING SPREE

The Mysterious Killing Last
Week of Three Men Is
Being Ferreted.

TWO ADDED MONDAY

Fourteen Now Listed On
String Charged With
"Masked Murder."

(By the Associated Press)

ARDMORE, Dec. 16.—With additional arrests today, sixteen men are in custody in connection with the investigation of the mysterious killing of three men and the wounding of a fourth at Wilson, near here, last Thursday night. Fourteen of these under arrest are charged with murder. All are held without bond.

Those arrested today are Dan Ridpath Jr., building contractor, and Clifton Whitchurch, oil supply man, both of Ardmore.

John L. Hodge, assistant county attorney, declared he was unable to say when the preliminary of those under arrest would be held, adding that it was the desire of the county attorney's office and the sheriff's office to have them as soon as possible.

Mr. Hodge reiterated that the shooting was participated in by masked men, declaring this had been brought out in his investigation. He said that the case was "very extraordinary with a great many conflicting circumstances."

We are as anxious to clear up the matters surrounding these killings as early a date as any other person or citizen of Carter county," said Mr. Hodge.

Four Taken Sunday.

The arrest of Dr. E. C. Harlow, optician; Frank Cardwell, insurance agent; W. L. T. Hilton, retired ranchman, all of Ardmore, and John Murray and Bill Ratliff, oil field workers, marked Sunday's developments in the murder of three men at Wilson Thursday night. The five men were charged with murder on information filed by Deputy Sheriff Jim Carter and are alleged to have been members of the band of masked men who killed Joe Carroll in a gun fight at his home, in which John Smith, an alleged member of the band also was fatally shot.

Seven other men are under arrest in connection with the affair, and other arrests are expected to follow.

Policeman's Body Found.

Soon after the shooting at the Carroll residence, the body of C. G. Sims, an Ardmore policeman, was found in a field near Wilson, about twenty miles west of here, and authorities are attempting to connect the killings.

According to Wilson citizens, the shooting of Carroll was the result of a warning issued some time ago that he cease his "nefarious liquor traffic or leave the country." It was believed that he had received word that the masked men were planning a visit to his home Thursday night, as it was said he answered the call to his front door with a revolver in hand.

He was shot down as he opened the door. Members of his household then attempted to drive his assailants away and in the ensuing gun fight, John Smith, another alleged member of the masked band, was wounded, but not seriously, and taken to a Wilson hospital under arrest.

Elmer Breckenridge of Okmulgee is in the city visiting B. F. McCauley.

10 YEARS FOR \$10
FRAUD, ONE YEAR
FOR \$10,000 BEAT

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 19.—Convicted of passing a \$2 bank-note raised to \$10, Antony J. Telensky was sentenced to serve ten years in the Federal penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga. It was one of the heaviest sentences ever imposed here for a similar offense.

In the same court, Frank W. Hooven and Andrew Detweller, assistant disbursing officers of the Emergency Fleet Corporation at Hog Island, convicted of embezzling more than \$10,000 of government funds, were each sentenced to a year and a day in the Atlanta prison. The defendants admitted having staged a "hold-up" of Detweller while on his way to Hog Island with the payroll, amounting to more than \$10,000, in an effort to prevent detection of their speculations. Detweller at first claimed to have been held up by automobile bandits, but later admitted the money had been left in this city with the intention of placing it in his and Hooven's accounts to cover their shortage.

In District Court.

Following new cases have been filed on the civil docket for the next sitting of the district court of Pontotoc county: E. R. McCoy vs. Dave Walker et al., money on note; W. H. Elam, abandonment of a wife and minor children.

ADA INCLUDED IN
NEW CONFERENCE

Schedules for Debate and
Basketball To Be Made
Out at Once.

Ada high school is now a member of the southwestern conference. The school is associated with seven other high schools of high standard who have been admitted to the conference and will take part with them in various athletic and literary events.

Prof. A. L. Fentem, principal of the high school, has returned from Oklahoma City where he attended a meeting of representatives of the eight schools included in the conference and signed for the Ada school.

Many important matters were taken up at the meeting in which the making out of the debating schedule was included. Under the plan adopted, the local school will get at least one trip away and will entertain at least one school team here before the eliminations are completed. The eight school have been divided into two sections or parts, Ada, Pauls Valley, Norman and Ardmore composing one half, and Chickasha, Lawton, Altus and Duncan the other part.

According to the plan adopted, an Ardmore negative team will come to Ada for the first debate, while at the same time the Pauls Valley team will go to Norman. These debates will be held on March 31. On this same date the other section of the conference will begin their eliminations. Chickasha's negative team will go to Duncan and Lawton's negative team will go to Altus. The winners of these two groups will have ten debates, thus permitting the winning team to come in for the finals.

On the other hand, the affirmative teams will take their turn visiting. In the first eliminations, negative teams will visit and in the second elimination the affirmative teams visit. Thus it is necessary for each school to have two teams, an affirmative and a negative. In the latter mentioned section the schools have been grouped as follows: Ada affirmative team goes to Pauls Valley while the affirmative team of Norman goes to Ardmore. The Duncan team goes to Altus and the Chickasha team to Lawton.

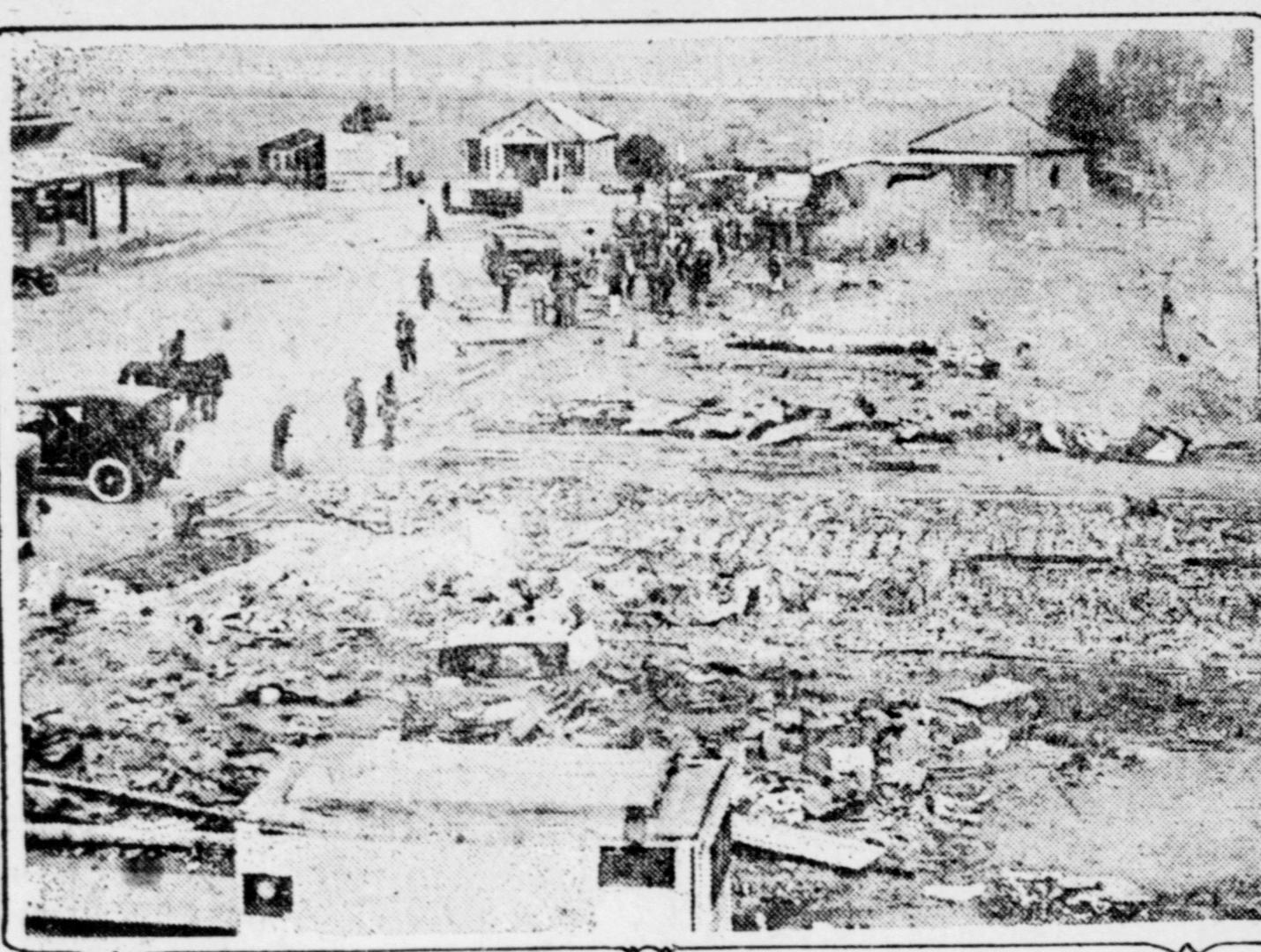
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In the basketball division of the conference each school will be required to play four games, two at home and two away from home. Ada has not yet made out her schedule but expects to have at least four of the games scheduled in a few days. Teams that probably will be scheduled are Ardmore, Pauls Valley, Norman and Duncan. The football schedule for next year will be worked out on the same order.

A track meet is also to be held, the place not yet selected, and each school is required by the conference

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FIRE DESTROYS PART OF OASIS ON MEXICAN BORDER



General view of section wiped out by fire.

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Dec. 19.—(Special)—Two fires in a week, starting at night and sweeping through flimsy wooden buildings, destroyed one side of the business section of Tijuana, Mex., tourist thirst quenching village south of this city. Several months previously the municipal building and largest hotel in the village burned. At that time the San Diego fire department sent apparatus over, but the small fire hydrants of the Mex-

ican town could not be used by them there were dance halls, cabarets and rooms. A restaurant, a grocery, a curio shop, a stage office and a Mexican customs office also were located on the side of the street cleared by the fires.

Built after the manner of the old '49 camps in California, the Tijuana structures were tinder to the fires. Their uses were much the same as those of the '49 camps, also. In the block of buildings burned were five saloons, flaunting the names of Klondike, Black Cat, Sonora, Elite and

Savoy. In connection with them there were dance halls, cabarets and rooms. A restaurant, a grocery, a curio shop, a stage office and a Mexican customs office also were located on the side of the street cleared by the fires.

Plans are being made to rebuild and more substantial buildings are probable.

One life was lost in the fires. The body of an unidentified man was found in the ruins of one of the rooming places.

OBSCURE SINGER
DEFEATS RIVALS



Paul Parks.

From more than 50 baritones who participated in the contest, Paul Parks of Nelsonville, O., has been selected by the judges for a debut at the memorial concert to the late David Bispham at Carnegie hall Dec. 13. The announcement has been made by the memorial committee named to carry out the late baritone's wishes that the young singers at these concerts.

\$28,000,000 in Gold
Taken from British
Liner Sunk by 'Sub'

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Nearly \$28,000,000 worth of bullion has been recovered from the liner Laurentic, which was sunk in January 1917, off the North coast of Ireland by a German submarine.

Operations have been suspended for the winter, but they will be resumed again in the spring when an effort will be made to recover the remaining \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000 worth of bullion which is said to be still at the bottom of the sea.

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Buy Tuberculosis Christmas Seals.

ACCIDENTAL SHOT
SUNDAY IS FATAL

Jim Stetson Killed By Gun
In the Hands of His
Younger Brother.

Jim Stetson, 18, was killed instantly Sunday afternoon at his home two miles south of Tyrola by a Winchester held in the hands of his brother, 13, according to a report which reached the sheriff's office here late yesterday. The younger boy's name was not given.

An intimation that the shooting was accidental was contained in the report brought back by county officers who hurried to the scene. No arrests had been made today.

According to best information obtainable Monday, the brothers were examining two guns, one a 25 caliber pistol owned by the younger boy and the other a 25-20 Winchester rifle, the property of Jim Stetson. After Jim had snapped his own gun which contained but one shell, the boys exchanged guns. A few minutes later while the rifle was pointing toward Jim, the younger Stetson snapped it again. This time the shell fired, the bullet taking effect a few inches below Jim Stetson's heart.

Officers said if further investigation of the case was made it would be on a juvenile charge.

Jim Stetson was under a charge in the district court of assault with intent to kill in connection with an alleged aftermath performance to a riding exhibition at the Fair Grounds on Thanksgiving day when he is said to have fired twice at "Honest Bill" Newton, owner of the Honest Bill show.

GRAIN FLEET BLOWN
ASHORE BY BIG GAIL

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 19.—An examination today of the grain fleet, a part of which was blown shoreward from the lee of the main breakwater in yesterday's 95 mile gale, showed that 12 out of the 54 vessels were resting on sand bars, but none was in a position of danger.

The damage on the shore between here and Niagara Falls, was estimated at \$1,000,000. The Niagara river was ten to twelve feet higher than usual.

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NOTICE MASON

Ada Lodge No.

119, A. F. & A. M.

will meet in emerg-

ent communication

tomorrow at 2:00

o'clock for the pur-

pose of attending

Brother Dr. E. R.

Banks.—F. R. Laird, W. M.

the funeral of

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IS AUSTRIA'S NEW
ENVOY TO AMERICA



Edgar A. G. Prochnik.

Edgar A. G. Prochnik has been accepted by the state department as Austrian chargé d'affaires at Washington. He has been in the national capital for some time in connection with the sale of the old Austro-Hungarian embassy.

CLOUDS OF DUST
FROM VOLCANOES
DARKEN HORIZON

Buenos Aires, S. A., Dec. 19.—

Vast clouds of volcano ashes from the erupting peaks in the Andes are sweeping across Argentina, obscuring the sun in many sections. Carried by a southwesterly wind from a point in the Andes range at about latitude 41° where the eruptions are said to be occurring, ashes are reported to have fallen at places nearly ten degrees latitude farther north, and from the Andes to the Atlantic ocean.

The foremost ash cloud reached the city of La Plata, 35 miles southeast of here, at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Weather bureau observers also reported a slight film of dust over Buenos Aires, although it was not noticed by the inhabitants. Volcano dust becomes finer as the distance from its origin increases.

TONKAWA—C. W. Mills of

Blackwell has moved his jewelry

store to Tonkawa. His store is located temporarily until his new

building is completed in the spring.

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Give Car a Drink
of Molasses When
Gasoline Is Gone

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 19.—"I'm out of gas. Let me have five gallons of molasses this time."

If the owner of a car were to make this remark at an American service station, there would be a hasty phone call for the police patrol.

In Cuba, the same request would merely provoke a smile and secure for the driver five gallons of the automobile fuel now used in the majority of Havana cars.

Charles E. Hires Jr., of the Charles E. Hires Company, Philadelphia, who has lately returned from the company's sugar plantation in the island, says that the passing of the eighteenth amendment automatically destroyed Cuba's market for millions of gallons of molasses. This molasses was formerly refined in America and distributed to the brewing companies. When the brewers ceased to brew, molasses became a drug on the Cuban market temporarily.

Now a large percentage is being converted into denatured alcohol and forms the base of a new automobile fuel used by practically all of the cheaper, and many of the more expensive cars in Cuba. This fuel sells for 29 cents a gallon against fifty cents a gallon for gasoline.

FRANCE MAY TAKE
FIRST NAVY PLAN

Italy Says She Is Ready To
Disarm Entirely If
Others Follow.

(By the Associated Press)

LONDON, Dec. 19.—France will accept the original naval ratio laid down by Secretary Hughes at the Washington conference, Premier Briand informed George Harvey, the American ambassador, at their meeting last night. He authorized the ambassador to notify the American government to that effect.

Premier Briand's authorization, which has already been conveyed to the French delegation in Washington and the American state department, makes no statement of submarines. There is no reason to believe that the British proposal regarding the undersea craft were discussed by M. Briand and Ambassador Harvey. It is hinted that the French may have more to say on this subject.

Italy attitude on the important questions now before the Washington conference was outlined by Giuseppe Gentile, former member of the Italian Parliament and official adviser to the Italian delegation, in a speech before the National Council for the Limitation of Armament.

Italy Has Experience.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 19.—Italy brought to this conference practical experience on the subject of land disarmament," he said. "We know that nations can reduce their armies because ours has been successfully reduced from 5,000,000 to 200,000 men and we purpose now to reduce it to 175,000, including our 90,000 police.

"If the great powers disarm wholly, Italy would be glad to do so. We knew that we could not recover from the war if we taxed ourselves for great armies; we know that none of the nations of Europe can recover while it bears such a burden.

"As to

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

NOT MEAT AND DRINK:—For the kingdom of God is not meat and drink, but righteousness, and peace, and joy of the Holy Ghost.—Rom. 14:17.

BRING JOY.

Here and there in the city one can find stockings into which he can put money to be used in filling what will otherwise be empty stockings on next Sunday morning. Unless money is put into these, many children may get up on Christmas and see the stockings hanging limp, and one can imagine the tears that will run down the little cheeks.

The man whose heart cannot be touched by a broken heart of a child is something less than human. The best way one can show his appreciation for the gift of all gifts to the world almost two thousand years ago is to in turn give something to others, thereby making them happy and glad they are living.

Let's make Christmas in Ada this year the best that has even been. Let's see that no child is without some of the things to make him happy, fruit, candy, hose, shoes or something else that will bring joy and comfort. Drop you loose change into the stockings.

BACK YARDS.

The naturalist had written interesting tales of the goings-on in his back yard. A woman came to call and found no one in. She decided to look at the back yard anyhow. She gave one glance at its small dimensions and remarked with scorn. "Umph! I thought he had a real yard."

A spectator of the scene told the naturalist, who writes that although it is not of large space, yet it is indeed a "real" yard.

"It may not be much bigger than a cigar box, but it contains 32 different shrub species, together with two fine big cherry trees, a few sunny spots for old-fashioned perennials, a patch of lawn big enough for our daughter's friends to romp on, and a nook for the garbage can and the rubbish box. It is not size that makes a back yard 'real', but the interest which it possesses for its owner. We ourselves are very much interested in our tiny little yard, with its 32 species of flourishing shrubs, and we are not seriously beseeching anyone else to be interested in it. Along about the time when cherries are ripe we are highly desirous that no one at all shall be interested in it."

He tells of the birds who visit it, of the crickets, of the big weeds, such as evening primrose and vervain and mullein and milkweed, which occupy positions of honor. His neighbor has a mulberry tree, which saves his cherries from the birds.

It is not true of all possessions—gardens or houses or books or anything else—that "the interest it possesses for its owner is what makes it real"?

Now that Christmas is approaching and the Christian spirit prevails, wouldn't it be a good idea to lay aside the grudge you may possibly hold against some neighbor and start anew? Christ in whose honor we celebrate this occasion, not only taught forgiveness as one of the great precepts of Christian faith, but practiced it so consistently that even when suffering the agonies of the cross he could pray for the forgiveness of those who took his life. After all, human hatreds and jealousies are so insignificant in comparison with the big problems of the universe and of life itself that they may well be compared to the wars of the Lilliputians in the eyes of Gulliver. The Lilliputians were but six inches in stature, but never for a moment considered their insignificance in the eyes of Gulliver, the man of six feet.

The editor of the Wewoka Capital-Democrat went the editor of the Evening News one better. Here the editor was only taken out on a Ku Klux parade, but at Wewoka he was called out of his house and taken along with a bunch of masked men to witness and write up a flogging. He did his part well, too, and the public is left in no doubt about what happened to the fellow who was charged with breaking just about every law on the statute books or found in the moral code. He also heard the final warning given the central figure of the occasion to the effect that next time he was taken in hand he would ornament a telephone pole in short order. The guy promised to be good and to advise his pals to do likewise.

The world war accustomed people to seeing big figures. Before that disastrous happening a billion dollars was looked on as a stupendous sum. When Prussia levied an indemnity of \$1,000,000,000 on France in 1871 the world gasped and thought France was ruined beyond recovery. Now Germany is in process of paying thirty-three times that sum to the allies and no one stops to comment on its vastness. In Napoleon's day an army of 100,000 was considered an overwhelming host, but in the world war we never thought in terms less than millions.

WHAT WILL THE HATCHING BE?



**The Forum
of the Press**

MANAGER TELLS ALL
ABOUT HIS TROUBLEDrought May Check
Wheat Planting in
Counties of State

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 17.—A campaign to urge farmers of Oklahoma to put their wheat land to another use in the event that the present adverse conditions continue, is being formulated by the state board of agriculture, according to John A. Whitehurst, president of the board. Mr. Whitehurst said today that the plan is not yet definite, and that the board has not decided what to advise the farmers to plant, but that unless relief from the drought is received soon, a move will be made to replace wheat with another crop.

Tanlac is the first medicine I ever had any confidence in. It has convinced me that it deserves all the praise that is given it. I suffered from catarrhal condition of the stomach and indigestion for nearly a year. Anybody who has ever had trouble of this sort knows how miserable I must have been.

"I'm more than pleased with the results I have obtained from Tanlac. It is getting me in fine condition. I can see an improvement every day and I eat, sleep, and feel better than in years."

Campaigns have been waged in Oklahoma on this issue. Surely politicians would not attempt treason with the savings of the public. That would be almost sacrifice.

The tractable public which has stood for pretty much everything at the hands of those whom it has chosen to devise its laws and administer them, drew a line which marked the limits of their faith in their institutions and felt secure in the thought that beyond those limits was sacred and that no treason could enter there. But it has entered. The truth has at last dawned upon those who have had their faith pinned to the guaranty law under a false cloak.

They find that the state of Oklahoma is no more bound to make good the losses of depositors in state banks than it would be to reimburse the farmers for their losses in cotton or wheat. It is beside the question to say that they should always have known this. How were they to be expected to know it when campaign orators have prated of the security of state banks "backed by the state government"? They have had this drilled into their heads in campaign after campaign. They have read again in the advertisements of state banks to leave the impression that the state of Oklahoma will stand good for any losses that might otherwise be sustained by depositors in state banks.

The guaranty law is not to blame. Depositors were reasonably safe as long as the law was administered under the supervision of trained bankers. But when to satisfy personal wishes, this safeguard was done away with, and a sole executor of the law was given almost unlimited and unquestionable authority to administer the law as he sees fit, right then the rights of depositors in state banks were placed in jeopardy.

They have been in jeopardy ever since, and now they have been lost overboard.

The Oklahoma public has been

most damably betrayed and some

body will have to pay.

Estimated production of the fields of the Mid-Continent at the close of the past week was as follows:

North Louisiana, 76,005 barrels; Arkansas, 47,000 barrels; North Texas, 142,982 barrels; Mexia, 93,000 barrels; Kansas, 92,500 barrels; Oklahoma, outside of Cushing, Shamrock, Burbank, Hewitt and Headton 294,500 barrels; Cushing and Shamrock, 25,000 barrels; Headton, 22,000 barrels; total 770,712 barrels, a gain of 17,891 barrels in comparison with the preceding week.

The estimated daily production of heavy gravity oil in the Gulf Coast field was 104,050 barrels.—Oil and Gas Journal.

hurst said that the heat becomes progressively lower in growing condition until the worst fields in the state are found in the western border counties.

Between 15 and 18 percent of the acreage put to wheat last year has not been planted. Mr. Whitehurst said. Much of this land has been prepared and a crop could be put

in at any time should the land receive sufficient moisture. There is still time, Mr. Whitehurst indicated, for a crop of wheat to be produced on much of this land.

The ancients trained no wild animals.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

S. L. McCLURE

M. C. TAYLOR



GIVE GIFTS THAT ARE APPROPRIATE and USEFUL

GIVE HIM

Society Brand Suit or Overcoat
—Kling Maid Sweater
—Manhattan Shirts
—Stetson and Taylor's Special Hats
—Packard Shoes
—Notasem Hose
—Beau Brummell Caps

—Neckwear
—Gloves
—Belts
—Handkerchiefs
—Bath Robes
—House Slippers
—Trunks
—Traveling Bags

Put Up in Beautiful Christmas Boxes



BOYS AND GIRLS

FREE CONTEST

WHITE FROST

A SUPERIOR SOFT WHEAT FLOUR

To the boy or girl writing the best advertisement for WHITE FROST FLOUR before December 15th, we will give in cash a first prize of \$5.00, second prize of \$2.50 and third prize of \$1.50.

The eagle off the sack of WHITE FROST FLOUR must accompany each advertisement.

Mail your advertisement and eagle to Box 249, Ada, Oklahoma.

Ask your grocer for WHITE FROST FLOUR.

ADA FLOUR & FEED CO.

Gift Suggest Dns



Silk Petticoats and Knickers In A Special Selling

If the frou-frou and frilliness of Silk Petticoats appeals to you, you'll find these irresistible. Both flounced and tailored styles in charming variations of material and mode. And the ever increasing popularity of Knickers has developed these specially lovely holiday ditties in tricot silks of uncommon quality and modish cut. New shades to match new costumes.

\$3.50 to \$9.50

The Ever Welcome
GIFT OF HOSIERY

Holiday prices that represent extraordinary savings prevail throughout the Hosiery section. Sheer Silk Hose of wonderful fineness in evening shades; slightly heavier weights of firm even weave in street shades; swagger Sports Hose, all-wool or wool and silk, in heather mixtures and plain colors; are grouped in tempting Holiday assortments most attractively priced.

\$1.50 to \$4.00



ESTABLISHED 1903
SIMPSON'S
THE SURPRISE STORE
115-117 WEST MAIN ST.



Reunion of Johnsons.

Mrs. William R. Johnson, who lives with her son, W. B. Johnson, three miles west of Ada, is to have a reunion of all her daughters and most of her sons this week, the reunion extending over the Christmas holidays. Already Mrs. J. Stanley Ely of Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis M. Crosley and daughter of Cincinnati, are here, having arrived last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McPheeters and son of Minnesota are expected in today, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Henshaw, Jr., of Cincinnati are expected in later in the week. All six of the daughters will be here and most of the sons.

To Present Cantata.

Pupils of the Irving school will present a cantata, "The Real Santa Claus", Tuesday evening at the school building. This is the delightful play in two acts. The performance will begin at 7 o'clock.

Santa Claus will have more than one hundred children from the Irving school assisting him in this entertainment. The performance will last an hour and two shows are to be given, one at 7 o'clock and the other an hour later.

In addition to the cantata, the school children have prepared songs and plays. Those who go early for the second performance, will be given an opportunity to hear the little tots until the first performance is over. Those who hear the cantata first will listen to the younger pupils later.

MOVIE ACTRESS DIES IN AUTOMOBILE CRASH

TULSA, Dec. 19.—Mrs. Martha Bowers, movie actress with a local production company, was run down and killed last night by an unidentified man who the police say was driving a stolen automobile. J. W. Martin is in the hospital suffering from injuries received in the same accident. Mrs. Margaret Hill, who was with the two victims escaped unhurt. The driver of the death car had not been located early today.

BREAK IN TIE IS FORECAST TODAY IN CITY LEAGUE

That four teams will not be tied for third place after tonight's games, is the opinion of those keeping in touch with the work of squads in the city basketball league. At present the Teachers College holds first place with three won and none lost, with the Cement Plant, who at the off-set were tail-enders, holding second. The other four teams have tied for third place. Tonight, the Teachers College plays the Cement Plant and the Ada News plays the High school.

If the Cement Plant team wins over the Teachers it will be tied for first place, while the teams winning in the other game will advance to second notch. Otherwise, the Cement Plant will drop to a tie for second place with the team winning in the News-High school game. The team losing in the latter will drop to fourth place, all other teams except the Teachers being tied for second and third places.

R. Waner, manager of the News team, is today working out a scheme by which he hopes to defeat the high school. The latter has been playing into hard luck since its first game with the Cement Plant, losing every game. Thompson expects to see his men make a real showing tonight against the Cement Plant, despite the fact that they were losers in three conference games last week. Smith, manager of the Cement Plant, realizes that he is staking considerable in tonight's contest and is running in his best line up.

The first game will be called at 7:30 in the Teachers College gym. All teams have advanced to the stage where a few points will be of great importance. That a fight throughout is certain, local fans have no doubt. These two games, together with the two next Friday night, will be the last before the Christmas holidays.

Attention Lions!

Regular luncheon will be held at the Harris Hotel at 11:30 tomorrow. Don't forget. Important business.

ROY GIVENS, Sec. 12-19-11

City Briefs

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

Have your Photo made at West's. Butler Bros. Grocery, 205 East Main. Phone 363. 10-5-1mo

Mrs. J. N. Bolt of Konawa transacted business here today.

Russell Battery Co. Willard Service and sales. Phone 140. 8-1-1m

10 cents everybody. —Liberty today. 12-19-3t

A. G. Morgan was in Oklahoma City today on business.

Call Thomas Motor Co., for battery service. Phone 163-212 West 12th. 11-28-1f

A special lot of coats and dresses at good values have just arrived at Burk's Style Shop. 12-17-2t

Miss Dorothy Williams of Stowwall, was here shopping today.

Shelton sells Furniture on easy payments. 1-21-1f

Don't miss the big show at Liberty. 10 cents everybody. 12-19-3t

Thomas Motor Co., parts and service for all makes of automobiles. Phone 162-212 West 12th. 11-29-1f

We have a line of silk underwear and kimonas that makes lovely gifts. Burk's Style Shop. 12-17-2t

Oscar Anderson, charged with loitering in dark town, was this morning found guilty in police court and fined \$10.75.

Four big bargain days up to and including Thursday—10 cents everybody. —Liberty. 12-19-3t

Hemstitching, button making and plaiting.—Ada Hemstitching Shop, Phone 51. 12-2-1mo

The high school boy scout band was in Allen yesterday where they gave a concert. They report a nice trip.

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Court Denies Today
Petition for Boost
IN Charge on Gas

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 17.—The state supreme court today denied the application of the Muskogee Gas and Electric company for an increase over the state cor-

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PORTO RICO DOES
NOT ASK TO QUIT

Islanders Do Not Desire To
Secede from the U. S.,
Leaders Assert.

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Porto Rico is not planning to "secede" from the United States and her political leaders are not dictators or plotters seeking to undermine the authority of the federal government, says Antonio R. Barcelo, president of the island senate, speaking for the Porto Rican Commission in Washington, of which he is a member, in a public statement here in answer to recent charges by members of the administration of Governor E. Mont Reily.

"One of the reasons advanced by Governor Reily in justification for his hostility toward the majority party," says the statement, "is that the very predominance of that party in the island is such as to exercise a pernicious influence upon all efforts for a good government; and that its leader, Mr. Barcelo, has developed into a dictator who is using his great power to thwart the beneficial efforts of the governor.

"The members of the commission that had been sent to Washington from Porto Rico to prefer charges looking to the removal of the governor unanimously refute this charge. They claim that the Unionist party is primarily a patriotic league. In its ranks are to be found both conservative and radical elements who find a common meeting ground in the party's ideal of self-government. They claim it will enable their people to prove their capacity for government and at the same time to assume all the obligations that go with the exercise of government.

People Patriotic.

"Such a patriotic organization they claim has naturally obtained the support of the great majority of self-respecting and patriotic islanders. This has been repeatedly shown by their overwhelming victories whenever they have appealed to the verdict of the ballot. The commission on the other hand characterize the membership of the minor political parties which oppose the Unionists as being divided into two classes first those who would be content

to see Porto Rico play a servile part, and secondly, those who by bowing to a strong power centered in the governor would be willing to surrender the public control of the island if they would be benefited thereby."

"Under the terms of the Organic Act as presently amended," continues the statement, "it must be apparent that if anything approaching a dictatorship exists on the island it arises from the acts of the governor himself and a small circle of politicians who have been directing his policy. It is ridiculous to accuse the Unionist party or Mr. Barcelo, its leader, of dictatorship for they have exercised no powers other than those granted by the Organic Act and ratified and endorsed by the people who elected them as representatives.

"Fortunately, the officials confirmed by the Senate under the new Organic Act have shown efficiency, honesty and capacity and the General Assembly has accomplished a great and truly constructive work in the social and economic reforms they have placed upon the statute books. There are few states in the union that would lay claim to a higher standard than that displayed by the island legislature. This may be verified by the annual report of the governor which is in turn made a part of the annual report of the secretary of war to the president.

IS General Supervisor.

"The powers of the governor as provided under the Foraker Act, in many respects, have been preserved in the Act of 1917. The general supervision of public affairs is still vested in him; he has the power to remove appointees and he enjoys an almost absolute veto power over the acts of the legislature. With such power wisely exercised, an able and diplomatic governor could well leave to the other branches of the government the exercise of powers granted them by the Organic Act, allowing them the exercise and development of their own initiative and limiting himself to preventing any abuse of power. This is the proper way of assisting the people to prepare themselves for self-government, otherwise, if the government arrogates to himself all powers, he will destroy the incentive of the people to participate in public affairs."

Referring to the fire on the steamship *Tanamo*, which brought Governor Reily and his party to New York on November 21, the statement said that the charge that the blaze was of incendiary origin "betrays such bad faith that it speaks for itself."

A polar bear's favorite dish is fish oil.

Buy Tuberculosis Christmas Seals.

Blind, With Hands Missing
Ex-Sailor Runs Typewriter

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 17.—make it manifest in your letter to your old commander.

If my good wishes addressed to you personally are of any encouragement, please know that you have them in all the sincerity which I can command.

Very truly yours,

WARREN G. HARDING.

Bronner was seaman on a United States vessel stationed in Italian waters during the World War. While at the front with his buddy, a crude hand grenade, left behind by the enemy, exploded, killing his buddy and wounding him so seriously as to result in the loss of both eyes and both hands.

Through the co-operation of the Institute for Crippled and Disabled Men in New York City, the services of a special instructor were secured. Artificial hands came into being and he has mastered the typewriter.

Bronner is today a happy, self-reliant young fellow with abundant confidence in himself. He goes about constantly without a guide, dances, writes on both the Braille writer and typewriter, has finished his preliminary education and is planning to take up the study of law next year.

A special attachment to the typewriter has been furnished by the Veterans' Bureau. He can now write an accurate letter, though very slowly, but is rapidly acquiring more speed.

WHO PAYS BOARD
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MONARCH LEFT?

PARIS, Dec. 19.—"Who is going to pay ex-Emperor Charles' board bill?" is the problem the Allied governments are trying to solve. So far no country has come forward and offered to pay the bills left behind in Switzerland or the expenses which will follow the exile of the former monarch to Madeira.

The former king has expensive tastes. This is evidenced by the fact that the Swiss retreat cost nearly 2,000,000 francs a year to keep going. In a hurry to reach his old throne, Charles forgot several substantial obligations. These and the cost of maintaining Charles and his large family at Madeira are occupying the Allied Ambassador's Council. The total Swiss bill will

exceed several million Swiss francs apart from the establishment set up at Madeira for the former ruler of Austria-Hungary.

It is believed that the Hungarian government will pay most of the bills and the members of the Little Entente, to whose existence the suppression of monarchial adventures is essential, may bear a part of the burden. The annual expense at Madeira probably will be provided through a pension, wholly or partly paid by Hungary. In this the Little Entente may also have a share.

The fact that Charles and his family still have firm friends in Hungary is evidenced by the purchase of a 2,000,000 crown bed and bedroom suite for the ex-queen, by Budapest royalists. The bed was made of satinwood with brocade and gilt decorations. The money was raised by popular subscription. The authorities have refused to permit its display in public, fearing royalist riots, so the bed will be sent immediately to Mareira.



PAVING IS SUSPENDED.

ARDMORE, Dec. 9. 1.—The street paving program of this city has been suspended until the condition of the bond market makes it possible to sell district bonds, according to an announcement of Mayor Kirk Dyer.

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Pills, Red and Gold Ribbon
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Take no other. Buy your
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SILK HOSE

PAIR SILK HOSE comes in cordovan, white and black; price from 98c to \$2.98

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PRACTICAL GIFTS THAT ARE READY!!

LADIES' SUITS

We have just a few more suits left—why not let it be a suit, especially when you can buy one at ONE-HALF PRICE. Come and look them over.

Ladies' and Misses' Winter Coats

Remember we are making a tremendous cut on all our Coats; price from \$5 to \$25 See them if you are looking for a Coat.

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Ask to see those nice Serge Dresses at \$4.75 for just this week—why not let it be a Dress?

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VERY ATTRACTIVE line of Ties for the boys and every member of the family, price from 25c to \$2.50

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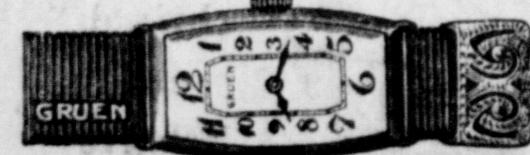
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Attention Lions!

Regular luncheon will be held at the Harris Hotel at 11:30 tomorrow. Don't forget. Important business. ROY GIVENS, Sec. 12-19-1t

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ANOTHER BIG ALUMINUM WARE SALE!

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\$3.50 to \$4.00 Articles, priced at 99c
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Watch for the window display and be on hand promptly at 3 o'clock Thursday.

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Admission 10 and 15 Cents

Plays and Songs in Addition to Cantata
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Carnations, red and dark pink, per doz. \$3.00
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Roses, fine flowers, per doz. \$5.00 to \$7.00
Narcissus or Paper Whites, per doz. \$2.50
Poinsettias, extra large brackets, doz. \$6 to \$9
Xmas boxes of flowers, contain Roses, Carnations and Poinsettia with sweet scented Stevia per box \$10.00
We also make a nice Xmas box of flowers, \$5
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A story that captivates, settings that ravish with their beauty.

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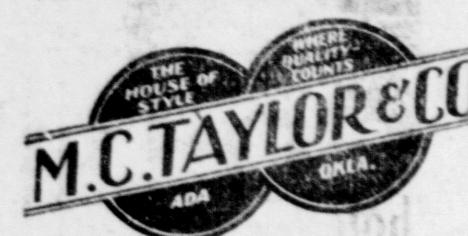
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The cold wave will be accompanied by strong northerly winds and will be felt in the state this afternoon, weather bureau officials stated. From 16 to 20 degrees above zero was expected to be the minimum tomorrow morning for Oklahoma City and the central portion of the state.

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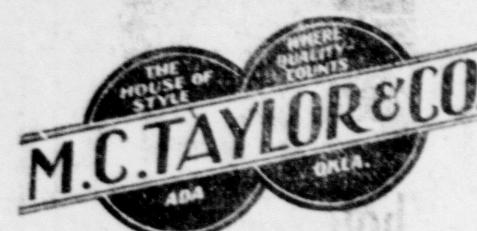
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Before Mr. Hamilton made his talk he held an hour's conference with one of his male employees and the employee's wife, who had been in trouble at home. A doctor and a minister of the gospel were present at the conference. Following the interview the married man went whistling back to his work and the wife went home smiling. The doctor, Mr. Hamilton said, was on hand to make pathological symptoms and the minister was invited to help in the peacemaking.

Free attachments go with each Cleaner sold today.

12-19-61

SEVERE COLD IS
FORECASTED FOR
STATE TONIGHT

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 19.—A severe cold wave was forecast for Oklahoma this morning by the United States weather bureau here. It was said temperature would drop by morning to between zero and ten degrees above in the northern portion and panhandle section, and to between ten and twenty degrees above in the southern half of the state. Probable rain or snow was predicted for the northeastern portion of the state.

The cold wave will be accompanied by strong northerly winds and will be felt in the state this afternoon, weather bureau officials stated. From 16 to 20 degrees above zero was expected to be the minimum tomorrow morning for Oklahoma City and the central portion of the state.

Severe cold weather is reported in Montana, Wyoming, the Dakotas, and over the Canadian region, the weather bureau said. Temperatures ranging from zero down as low as 30 degrees below are also reported.

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High School Adds Two.

The high school has boosted its number of memberships in the re-

organized Chamber of Commerce to 13, according to a statement this morning from A. L. Fentem, principal.

The two added today were Miss Gladys Coble, and C. R. Cox.

Henryetta.—The annual meeting of Elks of the state will convene in this city during May. The Henryetta lodge is one of the largest in the state.

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The Ada Charity Clinic is now organized. On December 16, 1921 a number of doctors met at the office of Dr. M. C. McNew and organized and established a staff for the purpose of caring for the suffering poor of Ada and surrounding country.

This staff will give their services to all who are not able to pay and the requirements will be to bring a certificate from their family physician or some reliable layman or the secretary of the Red Cross.

This clinic will be open for applicants on Mondays and Thursdays of each week at Dr. McNew's office and they will be directed to members of the staff according to their disability.

Members of the Staff Are As Follows:

DR. M. M. WEBSTER, Internal Medicine; DR. R. F. KING, General Surgery; DR. B. F. SULLIVAN, Diseases of the Skin; DR. B. B. DAWSON, General Medicine; DR. H. BARNES, Dentistry; DR. F. R. LAIRD, Dentistry; DR. M. C. McNEW, Diseases and Surgery of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat; MRS. ORVILLE SNEAD, Business Manager and Red Cross Secretary.

Special Holiday Excursion Fares!

On Sale December 22, 23, 24, 1921
Final Return Limit January 4, 1922

Fares will apply where one-way rate is \$25.00 or less. The minimum excursion fare being \$2.50.

Here Is Your Opportunity—Grasp It—Go!

Let me give you details, actual rates, and get your reservations
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Santa Fe
ALL the WAY

JOCKEY WINS HIS GREATEST PRIZE



Jockey Clarence Kummer and his bride leaving Holy Child Jesus church after the ceremony.

Jockey Clarence Kummer, the dapper little chap who rode the famous Man O' War to many records and thereby became one of the most famous riders on the turf, was recently married to Miss Marion Gascoyne of Richmond Hill, near New York. Their marriage took place at the Holy Child Jesus Church there. They plan to spend their honeymoon in California and Hawaii.

KONAWA AND ADA SPLIT HONORS IN DOUBLE HEADER CAGING ROUND HERE

One lost, one won. That was the result of a doubleheader game played at the high school between basketball teams from Konawa and the local high school Saturday night in which Ada girls and Konawa boys won. The score in the girls' game was 35 to 4, while the local boys lost 32 to 16.

In a rough-and-tumble game, disappointing because of the fact that it was punctuated by squabbles between members of the two teams, Ada and Konawa boys were the victims of circumstances had to overcome. A small court made much of the roughness unavoidable.

At the end of the first quarter Ada was leading 4 to 3.

Miller at forward for the visitors, was the star of the game, keeping cool and playing a steady part throughout. He netted six goals from field while Anders of the visitors got 4. Wilsey, the fast forward for the local high school netted five goals from the field. It was largely due to his steady playing that Ada missed defeat by a larger score. He not only played well at forward, but assisted guards at critical points in the game.

Gregg at center for Ada played into hard luck and several times his shots at goal missed by a fraction. He could not make the ball go through the bars in spite of well aimed shots. Rayburn starting the game at guard, was switched to forward in the second quarter. He played steadily through the last half, netting four out of five shots at free goals.

Substitutions: Ada—King for Potts, Rayburn going to Potts' place at forward and King going in as guard for Rayburn.

Summary: Goals from the field—Miller 6, Wilsey 5, Anders 4, Gordon 1, Jones 2, Molloy 1. Goals from the line—Wilsey 1, Miller 4, Rayburn 4, Gordon 2.

Girls' Game.
Konawa (4) Pos. Ada (35)
Jones R.F. Sloan
Anders L.F. Love
Miller J.C. Harrison
Johnson L.G. Mooney
Rasland R.C. Lasater
Wooding R.G. Reed

Substitutions: Sanders for Johnson, Merrill for Anders.

Summary: Goals from the field—Sloan 3, Love 7; Goals from the line, Sloan 2, Love 2, Jones 2, Anders 1, Merrill 1.

Tinkle referee and Hodges umpire for girls' game. Waner referee for boys' game.

ARDMORE MINISTER'S WIFE RELATES AMAZING STORY

I Wish Every Woman in Oklahoma Knew About This Wonderful Puratone," Says Mrs. French in Remarkable Statement.

"I don't believe any woman in the state of Oklahoma was in more misery than I was, but now, thanks to Pomeroy's Puratone, I am like a new person."

This statement was made the other day by Mrs. A. J. French, residing at 316 First street, N. E., Ardmore, wife of a prominent Presbyterian minister. Continuing she said: "For six years my health had been wretched. I suffered with stomach trouble, disordered blood and was in a general run-down condition. My kidneys also gave me a lot of trouble. My blood was in such bad condition I was broken out all over my body. My face and hands were dreadfully swollen at times, which was caused by the condition of my kidneys. My stomach was so disordered nearly everything I ate disagreed with me. I had such dizzy spells and swimming of the head at times that I was afraid to go out on the street. I was weak and felt just awful day and night. I tried all kinds of medicines and was treated by specialists in Oklahoma City, but the only relief I got was temporary."

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